

MANNINGTON NEWS

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HUNDREDS ATTEND COMMUNITY SING

Nine Classes Render Great Music--Next Meet at Jotown

MANNINGTON, June 5.—Placing a conservative estimate on the number of people who attended the Second District Musical Association meet at the Beegum Church yesterday, officers said this morning that 2,000 people were entertained.

Conveyances of all sorts began carrying the crowd to the church early Sunday morning, and they kept coming until after noon. Sociability was a feature of the day, and everyone apparently enjoyed the occasion to the utmost.

Nine classes were present, and some of them were especially well balanced with real singers. Each class sang well, and leaders expressed the belief that the appreciation shown yesterday by the public promises much for the future work of the Association.

The classes present were Flaggy Meadow, Homewood Flat Run, Whetstone, Curtis, Jotown, Jr., Seven Pines, Dent's Run and Beegum.

The officers elected for the coming year were: President, Lydia Shaffer; vice president, W. B. Cunningham; secretary-treasurer, U. G. Floyd. The committee on time and place named the location of the next meeting at Jotown and voted to hold it on the fourth Sunday in August.

Perhaps the real feature of the day was the bountiful basket dinner given on the grounds. Dozens of huge hamper of choice foods were unloaded from the autos and placed on the grass.

Tables were set up, and there was plenty of dinner, even for the vast crowd present. Only two classes attended the evening session, due to the slippery roads.

An interesting program was given, however. Two pleasing solos were sung by R. O. Floyd, and another by Mrs. Bessie Straight. Mrs. Straight also gave two recitations, especially for the younger folk, and was roundly applauded.

The program as rendered yesterday:

Forenoon
10—Congregational singing, led by W. R. Matheny; devotional, H. P. Gump; 10:15—reading and adoption of the minutes; 10:25—roll call and seating of classes; 10:40—class singing; 11:50—songs of welcome, John Matheny; 12—basket dinner.

Afternoon
1:30—Congregational singing, led by R. O. Floyd; devotional, F. M. Mason; 2:45—recitation, Miss Fay Hennen; 3—class singing; 4—report of committees and adjournment.

Evening
7:30—Congregational singing, led by T. E. Cross; devotional, H. Phillips; 7:45—class singing; 8:45—recitation, Mrs. Bessie Straight; vocal solo, Mrs. Bessie Straight; vocal solo, R. O. Floyd; 9—closing song, led by D. E. Wetzel.

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Mannington Society

Juvenile Class Party.

The members of Miss Rhea Griffin's Sunday School Class gave a very pleasant farewell party in honor of Miss Elizabeth McKinless, who is to leave soon for Oklahoma.

Various games were played, and some of the girls did sewing. Later delicious refreshments were served. The party was given on the spacious porch at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Vance.

The guests present were Miss Elizabeth McKinless, Miss Mary Joe Matthews, Miss Pauline Beams, Miss Mary Elizabeth Harris, Miss Mary Hite, Miss Elizabeth Tabler, Miss Allen Myer, and Miss Lillian Hurd.

Double Wedding.
Miss Mary Perry attended a double wedding at Clarksburg Friday evening, at which Miss Agnes Harbet and Elbert Matthews, and Miss Elizabeth Grim and Osborne Harbet were united in marriage at the First Baptist Church.

Miss Perry was met at Clarksburg by her brother, W. D. Perry of Pittsburgh, who also attended the wedding.

Attended Commencement.
The Rev. W. M. Baumgarten of Cayuse, Pa., was the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. E. Mockler, Thursday and Friday. He was accompanied to Morgantown by Mrs. Mockler, where they attended the annual commencement exercises.

Mannington Personals

Mrs. Adda Palmer is leaving for a several days visit with her husband at Clarksburg.

Clarence Haskins who is employed in Morgantown spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Haskins in High Street.

Thomas "Griffy" Hamilton of Fairmont spent the week end with relatives in Mannington.

Jess Louise, the two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer L. Wade, is recovering from a severe illness.

Cassie B. Kendall, who is in the garage business at Elkins is here for a few days visit with his mother, Mrs. Mahala Kendall.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Wetzel of Fairmont were guests of relatives here yesterday.

Miss Helen Prichard is confined to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Prichard in Pleasant street by illness.

Jamie Jolliffe of Morgantown, a former Mannington boy, was here on Saturday for a visit.

Walter L. Jenks was a business visitor in Clarksburg on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Haglitz spent yesterday with friends in Farmington.

Glenn Robey of Greenville, Pa. is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Robey in Marshall street.

Eugene W. Christy is painting and repairing his residence in Washington street.

A colored camp meeting was started in Jericho last night by local colored citizens. Tent has been secured from Morgantown, and the services will continue for several days. The tent is directly opposite the Nazarene Church.

Miss Lucy Virginia Coleman of Farmington was the guest of Miss Mary Virginia Furbee Saturday.

It is rumored here that Baltimore interests have in mind the establishment of an oil refinery here soon and that oilfield companies have been contacted.

Hildreth motored to Fairmont Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Best of Fairmont were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Ash over Sunday.

Mr. Best is assistant manager of the Fuller Brush Co. in Fairmont and Mr. Ash is the local representative.

Mrs. M. L. Stephens and little daughter Virginia returned yesterday to the home at Little Falls after a visit with the former's sister, Mrs. Thomas E. Jones, of Plum Run and her son, James Guy Hickman, of this city.

Olga Robbins is home from W. V. U. Morgantown, and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Robbins, at Logansport.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kendall and son Paul of Oklahoma City, Okla. are here for a visit with the former's father, Thomas J. Kendall. They will also visit relatives in New York City before returning to the southwest.

J. Howard Coleman of Farmington was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Mary Coleman of Furbee avenue yesterday.

William E. Yeater of Breckenridge, Texas, is here for a visit with his mother, who is visiting his daughter at Bradford, Pa., before returning home.

Guy W. Clayton of Cumberland, Md., is here for a few days visit with his sister, Mrs. C. C. Bassett, in Locust street.

Adam's Temper
Old Adam's temper suffered from the fall, but now it's sweet again, but always sour at Eve.

WILSON SCHOOL HAS RECORD ATTENDANCE

MANNINGTON, June 3.—The Wilson School in Jericho, of which L. E. Moore was principal, ended this year with a rather enviable record so far as attendance is concerned.

With a total attendance of 136, the school has average per cent of 97.4. The percent of attendance by grade was as follows: Grade one, 97; grade two, 98; grade three, 97; grade four, 97.5.

The pupils who received honor certificates for perfect attendance were: First grade—Mildred Moore, Frances Rigillo, Josephine Robinson, Arlus Michael.

Second grade—Eloise Robinson, Curtis Walters, Essie Shriver, Arnold Bock, Lucian Eddy.

Third grade—Claude Wells, Dale Hawkins, Robert McDaniel, Genevieve Walters.

Fourth and fifth grades—Lawrence Grubb, Edna Grubb, Gladys Rice, Denzil Moore, Arnold Hart, Otto Quinden, Ethel Price, Bert Knight, Wilfred Summers, Opal Gorman, Gladys Franklin, Clyde Tothman.

This makes a total of twenty-five pupils neither tardy nor absent during the entire term, and Mr. Moore believes that this record has been unequalled in the state.

Besides the above, twenty-eight pupils received certificate of merit for not being tardy nor absent more than three times during the term. They were:

First grade—Mary Wells, Verl Hart, Goldie Pierce, Helen Mercer, George Clelland, Theodora Michael.

Second grade—Laura Moore, Ruby Pierce, Chester McInturf, Eunice Masters, Coleman Hays, Kermit Curry, Olan Caranham.

Third grade—Leo Carr, Robert Keen, Carlton Bauman, Lucille Bock, Lucille Curry, Jeanette Mercer, Rosie Quinden.

Fourth and fifth grades—Mergie Shumai, Loraine Kennedy, Edgar Mercer, Howard Walters, Eloise Clelland, Blaine Sidley, Lawrence Mercer, Muriel Moore, Elizabeth Shriver.

During the entire term there was no prosecution for violation of the attendance law. L. E. Moore, the principal, was assisted by Miss Hazel Moore; Miss Mary Mann, and Miss Emma Norton.

A. A. Fortney who had his arm broken recently is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sturm were visitors in Fairmont a few days ago.

Miss Rose Sturm spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Tetric.

Guy Mason of Fairmont was in this community ion business Thursday.

Howard Sturm was a business visitor in Shinnston Thursday.

Bert Adams and T. O. Stull are cleaning out the Ely Straight well on Harter Hill for the Philadelphia Co.

Howard Glover Homer Gump and Paul Jones were here on business Thursday.

N. U. Keller was a business visitor in Peoria Thursday.

John Vincent spent a short time in Shinnston on business Thursday.

E. Tate was a business caller here Thursday.

George Wright of Anabelle is carrying the mail on Worthington R. F. D. No. 1 for Frank Bauman.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Paterson and little son Claude Jr. were visiting the latter's brother Ira L. Sturm and family at Enterprise the past week.

C. M. Sturm is teaching singing school at Homewood this week.

George C. Tate, who has been employed at Wyatt by the Consolidated Coal Co. has moved to his farm on Harter Hill.

William Willard and family were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ascraft on Harter Hill.

D. S. Tetric and A. C. Tetric who left here a few days ago, are now in the fields, Texas, by the Humphreys Pure Oil Co.

Fred Grim and William Bradley employees of the Philadelphia Co. were here on business Wednesday.

M. S. Connors who is building the new United Brethren church at Rivesville returned home Thursday.

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